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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

DAVID A. STEBBINS,

Plaintiff,

v.

KARL POLANO, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 21-cv-04184-JSW

ORDER REGARDING IN FORMA PAUPERIS STATUS ON APPEAL AND INSTRUCTIONS TO CLERK

On June 6, 2023, the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit issued a referral notice directing this Court to determine whether Plaintiff's in forma pauperis status should continue for his appeal. See 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3) ("An appeal may not be taken in forma pauperis if the trial court certifies in writing that it is not taken in good faith."); see also Hooker v. American Airlines, 302 F.3d 1091, 1092 (9th Cir. 2002) ("If at least one issue or claim is found to be non-frivolous, leave to proceed in forma pauperis on appeal must be granted for the case as a whole."). Although the Court dismissed each of Plaintiff's claims, the Court cannot conclude that the appeal is frivolous. Accordingly, the Court shall not revoke Plaintiff's in forma pauperis status. The Clerk shall provide a copy of this order to the Court of Appeals.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 23, 2023

United States District Judge

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